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Application Serial No: 10/751,354 Confirmation No. 2231
Date Filed: January 5, 2004
Application Title: Active Esters Of N-Substituted Piperazine Acetic Acids,
Including Isotopically Enriched Versions Thereof
Applicants: Dey et al.
Group Art Unit: 1626
Examiner: Ebenezer O. Sackey
Action Type: Restriction Requirement
Action Date: August 1, 2006

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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir or Madam:

A petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) for an automatic one-month extension of time to reply to the present office action is included with the papers accompanying this submission so please consider the following response to the Restriction Requirement mailed on August 1, 2006.

I. ACTION SUMMARY

Claims 1-49 stand pending in the application. Claims 1-49 are subject to a restriction requirement.

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